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Re application of: Levy et al.

Atty Dkt No.: NOVLP063/NVLS-000615

Application No.: 10/690,492

Examiner: Thanhha Pham

Filed: October 20, 2003

Group: 2813

Title: DEPOSITION OF TUNGSTEN NITRIDE

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

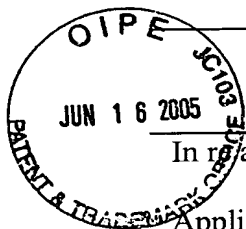
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Independent Claims	2	MINUS	3	0	x 100 =	x 200 = 0
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid					\$180.00	\$360.00
Total					\$	\$0

- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition for a _____ month extension(s) of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 23, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

A Statement Concerning Common Ownership of US Application No. 10/690,492 and U.S. Patent No. 6,635,965 appears on page 12 of this paper.